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RE: ADM File No. 2003-04

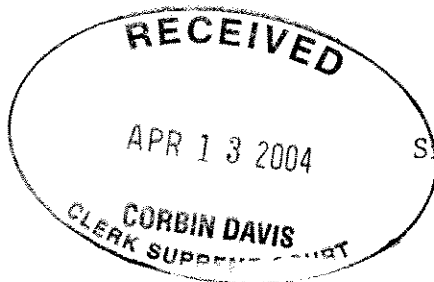
Dear Sir or Ma'am,

I have a loved one in the Michigan Dept. of Corrections who would benefit from your proposed addition of court rule MCR 6.427, or the amendment of existing court rule MCR 6.508. i.e., proposed subsection (F), if they were further expanded to include the following.


These proposals should include the ineffective assistance of retained or appointed trial-sentencing counsel who fails to file the claim of appeal and appointment of counsel form, when they have clearly promised to do so on the record.

Failure to file this form results in one's appeal of right to be lost. Please see People v Tull, 460 Mich 857-859, for the case of my loved one, which is the subject of this letter.

I sincerely hope that you will consider, and accept this addition to your proposed court rule addition and amendments to these rules, and I thank you for your time, and allowing this opinion to be heard.



Sincerely,

  
Steven Mockenridge

cc: Supreme Ct. Clerk  
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